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09/728,833	11/30/2000	Guido M. Schuster	MBHB00,421

CONFIRMATION NO. 2322

FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 01/23/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$80.
 - \$80 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 210.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No.00-421)

In re Application of:)
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Guido M. Schuster, et al)
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Serial No. 09/728,833) Examiner: To Be Assigned
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Art Unit: 2642
Filed: November 30, 2000)
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR)
PROVIDING SERVICE PROVIDER)
CONFIGURATIONS FOR)
TELEPHONES USING A CENTRAL)
SERVICE IN A DATA NETWORK)
TELEPHONY SYSTEM)

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Attn: Application Processing Division, Customer Correction Branch
Asst. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

1. Attached is a copy of the official filing receipt received from the PTO in the above-referenced application for which issuance of a corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested.
2. There is an error with respect to the following data, which is incorrectly entered.

A) Error In:

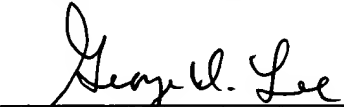
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Address: CHICAGO, IL 60606

3. The correction is not due to any error by applicant and no fee is due.

Respectfully submitted,



George I. Lee
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Date: June 22, 2001



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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

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Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A CIP OF 09/515,798 02/29/2000 *
(*) Data inconsistent with PTO records.

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 01/17/2001

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Missing Parts

Non-Publication Request: Yes

Early Publication Request: No

Title

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PATENTIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 00-421)

Re Application of:

Guido M. Schuster, et al

Serial No. 09/728,833

Filed: November 30, 2000

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
PROVIDING SERVICE PROVIDER
CONFIGURATIONS FOR
TELEPHONES USING A CENTRAL
SERVICE IN A DATA NETWORK
TELEPHONY SYSTEM

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Art Unit: 2642

TRANSMITTAL LETTERBox MISSING PARTS
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
 - a. Petition for Three Month Extension of Time
 - b. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application
 - c. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application
 - d. Executed copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney
 - e. Request for Corrected Filing Receipt
 - f. Formal Drawings (Figures 1, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 5, 6A, 6B, 7, 8, 15 Sheets)
 - g. Return Receipt Postcard
2. A check in the total amount of \$1,100.00 is enclosed (\$130.00 for late filing fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16 (e); \$80.00 for two independent claims over three; and \$890.00 for extension for response within third month).
3. Please charge any deficiency in the amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.
5. **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described in paragraph 1 herein-above, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as "First Class Mail" in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box Missing Parts, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this 22nd day of June, 2001.

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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MAILED JUNE 22, 2001**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed January 23, 2001, Applicants submit herewith an executed copy of their Declaration, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.63 and 1.68.

A check in the amount of \$1,100.00 accompanies this Response (\$130.00 for late filing fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16 (e); \$80.00 for two independent claims over three; and \$890.00 for extension for response within third month).

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